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Dear Mr. Kamen,

Your today's "In the Loop" column item on Richard Helms threatening Oliver Stone to get him to remove a scene in his movie in which Helms tries to blackmail Nixon over his involvement in plots to kill Castro concludes, "Too bad. Always a shame to lose good fiction." Was it actually fiction?

Helms would not have taken that to court.

According to E. Howard Hunt in his autobiography Nixon was the White House "action officer" in the Eisenhower administrations effort to get rid of Castro.

After the Post published Ron Goldfarb's mafia-did-it fiction, and that is not good fiction, I sent it the CIA documents proving that was an Eisenhower administration plot, not JFK's, as Goldfarb wrote. The CIA dated it to August, 1960, before JFK was elected. Only six high in the CIS even knew about it.

In Helms' testimony to the House assassins committee he indicated that the idea was that of the JFK White House.

When no Kennedy was in a position to refute him, John and Robert having been killed.

That is the same Helms who told the ANPA "Trust us-we do not target on Americans" while he was doing that in the thousands.

Wasn't he convicted of perjury?

Sincerely,

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